

Needham Jeffrey  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Needham Jeffrey

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 C/O PERRIGO COMPANY, 515  
 EASTERN AVENUE  
 (Street)

ALLEGAN, MI 49010

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 PERRIGO CO [PRGO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 11/10/2009

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Sr. VP Commercial Business Dev

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 \_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock	11/10/2009		M		42,825	A	\$ 11.6675
Common Stock	11/10/2009		S		42,825	D	\$ 38.93
							10,649

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option Right to Buy	\$ 11.675	11/10/2009		M	8,565	03/28/2003	03/28/2012	Common Stock	8,565
Employee Stock Option Right to Buy	\$ 11.675	11/10/2009		M	8,565	03/28/2004	03/28/2012	Common Stock	8,565
Employee Stock Option Right to Buy	\$ 11.675	11/10/2009		M	8,565	03/28/2005	03/28/2012	Common Stock	8,565
Employee Stock Option Right to Buy	\$ 11.675	11/10/2009		M	8,565	03/28/2006	03/28/2012	Common Stock	8,565
Employee Stock Option Right to Buy	\$ 11.675	11/10/2009		M	8,565	03/28/2007	03/28/2012	Common Stock	8,565

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Needham Jeffrey C/O PERRIGO COMPANY			Sr. VP Commercial Business Dev	

515 EASTERN AVENUE  
ALLEGAN, MI 49010

## Signatures

Jeffrey R.  
Needham

11/13/2009

    Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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